

Appl. No. 10/717,573  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title:	TRANSGENIC FISH GERMLINE	)	Customer No.:
	EXPRESSION DRIVEN BY LIVER	)	
	FATTY ACID BINDING PROTEIN	)	*038598
	(L-FABP) GENE PROMOTER AND	)	PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE
	APPLICATIONS THEREOF	)	
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**DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132**

I, Jen-Leih Wu, hereby declare as follows:

1. I am one of the inventors in the above-identified patent application.
2. I am an investigator at the Institute of Zoology, Academia Sinica, Nankang, Taipei.
3. I am also the principal investigator of the research project entitled "In vivo studies of liver-type fatty acid binding protein (L-FABP) gene expression in liver of transgenic zebrafish (*Danio rerio*)," which was published in FEBS Letters (2003) 538:125-133.

4. Among the four authors named in the above publication, only Dr. Guor Mour Her and I contribute to the invention claimed in the above-identified patent application.

I declare that all statements made herein based on my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made herein based on information and belief are believed to be true. I further declare that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United State Code, and that willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the above-referenced patent application and any patent that issues therefrom.

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